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Montana's New
Statewide Longitudinal
Data System
(SLDS)



Agenda

- Overview
- Demonstrations
- Secure Data Access
- Technology
- Future Plans
- Questions





Overview

Growth and **E**nhancement of Montana **S**tudents



A "Data Warehouse" project... A "Statewide Longitudinal Data System"...



Origin and Rationale



Statewide Longitudinal Data Systems Grant Program — Designing, Developing, Implementing, & Using Longitudinal Data Systems to Improve Student Learning

... to help States, districts, schools, and teachers make data-driven decisions to improve student learning, as well as facilitate research to increase student achievement and close achievement gaps.







Data Warehousing in Education

WHAT IS A STATEWIDE LONGITUDINAL DATA SYSTEM?

A statewide iongitudinal data system (SLDS) is a data system capable of tracking student information over multiple years in multiple schools. Montana's SLDS will integrate existing, transformed data extracted from multiple source systems such as AIM, MAEFAIRS, and Assessment, to name a few.













